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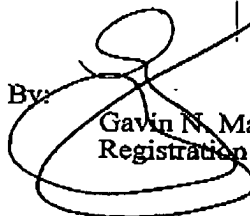
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Responsive to the Office action mailed 27 September 2004, please amend this application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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